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And when these Friends of Israel say "Israel is our ally," they ignore Israel's attack on the *USS Liberty* in 1967, resulting in the deaths of 34 Americans and the wounding of 172 others — an act designed to provoke a U.S. attack on Egypt which nearly resulted when President Johnson ordered a nuclear assault on Cairo (an order quickly withdrawn) thinking (as Israel intended) that Egypt had attacked the vessel.

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